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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA **ALEXANDRIA DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, et al.,
Plaintiffs,

v.

GOOGLE, LLC, Defendant.

Case No. 1:23-cv-00108 (LMB/JFA)

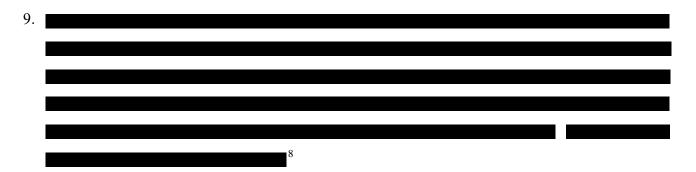
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August 11, 2025

strategies that enable safe transitions without service interruption, such as canary rollouts and shadow testing.<sup>7</sup>

8. I further demonstrate that my plan accounts for the technical complexity of AdX and DFP throughout each stage of the migration process in Section III.B. This includes the work involved in mapping and replacing proprietary dependencies, isolating services, modifying integration points, and validating performance at each stage.



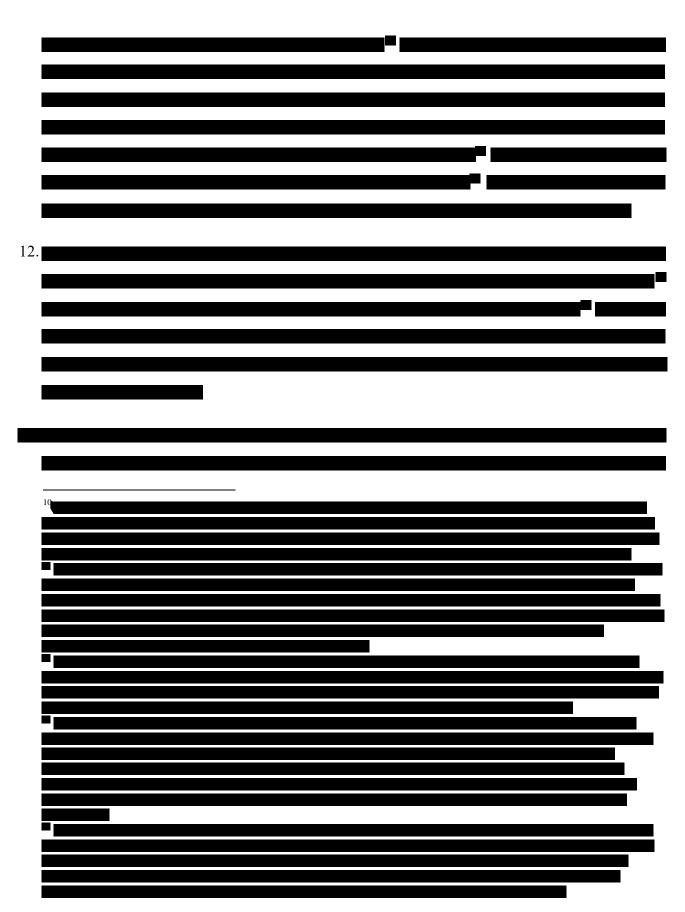
- 10. In addition, I clarify the preconditions assumed in my proposed plan and timeline in Section III.C. These preconditions are consistent with industry practice and reflect the natural boundary between legal and business activities and technical execution. The process of actually migrating AdX and DFP would not begin until an acquirer is identified. However, some of the activities of my proposed migration plan may begin while legal and business activities are ongoing and before an acquirer is identified, such as demarcating an initial scope of code to be migrated, creating a wrapper to isolate the system calls to proprietary services that would be replaced to set up for potential alternative system options, and performing parts of the deployment analysis.
- 11. In response to the industry case study examples I discuss in Section V of my Opening Report, Dr.

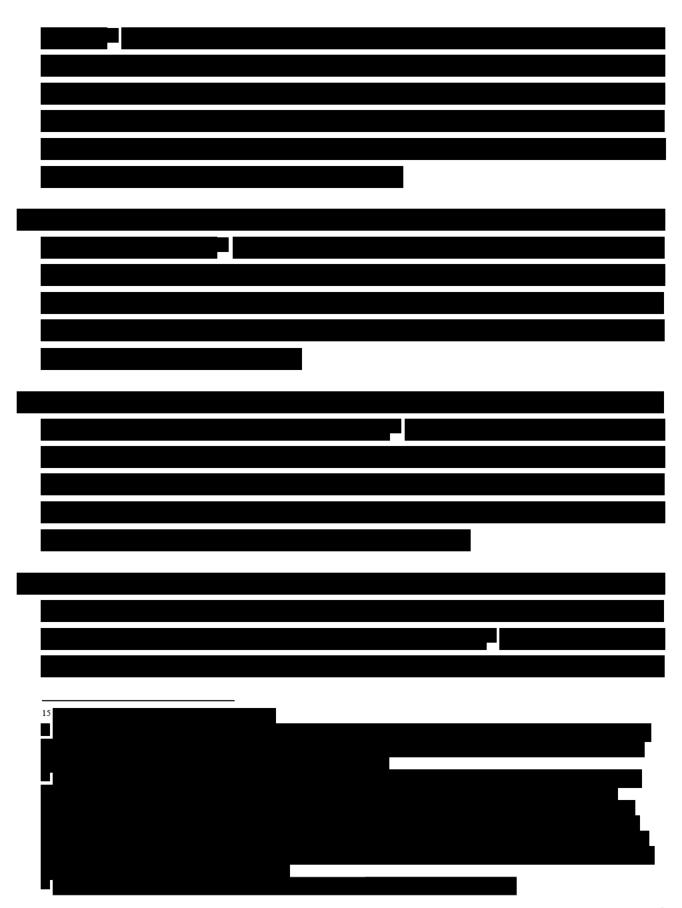
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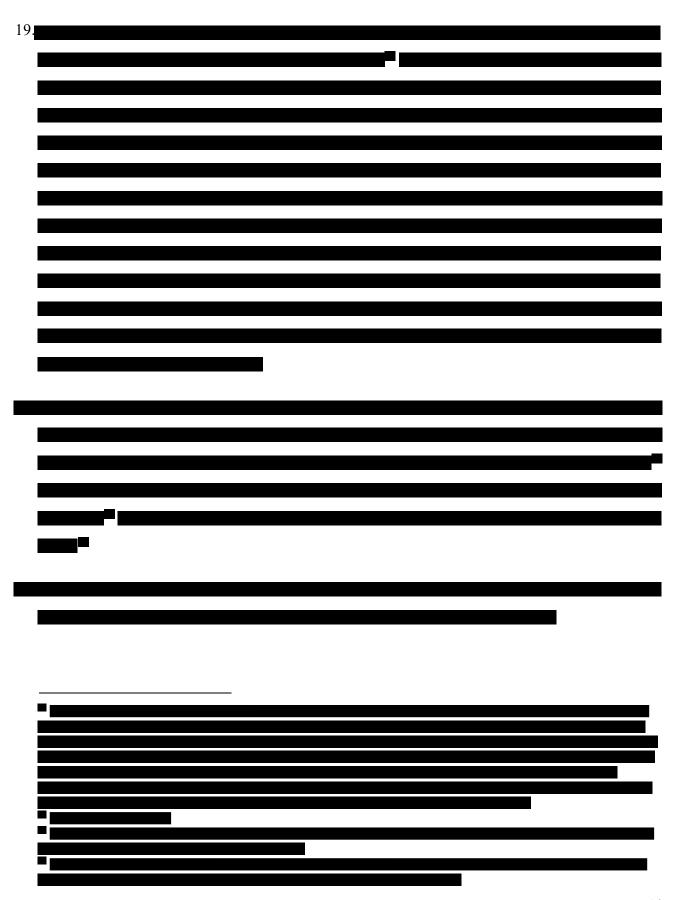
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> See Expert Report of Goranka Bjedov, PhD, United States of America, et al., v. Google, LLC, Case No. 1:23-cv-00108, July 7, 2025 ("Bjedov Opening Report"), ¶ 189 ("Each service can be analyzed in parallel by its own two-to-three-person engineering pod. Pods may own the code inspection, build a stub (or full replacement), define tests (see Section IX.D), and shepherd the change through canary and production ramps.") and ¶ 194 ("The actual mechanics for this process are straightforward. Every new service is launched with three settings. First, it is *disabled*, which means the system is still using a test version. Second, it moves to *shadow mode*, where real traffic is sent to the new service behind the scenes, but its answers aren't actually used") (emphasis in original).

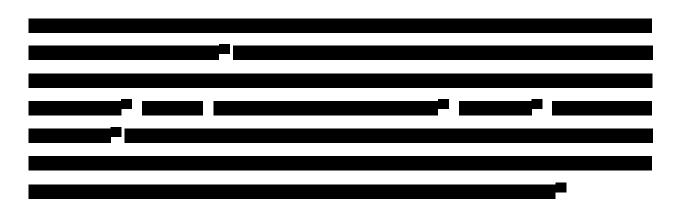
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Bjedov Opening Report, Section IX.C.

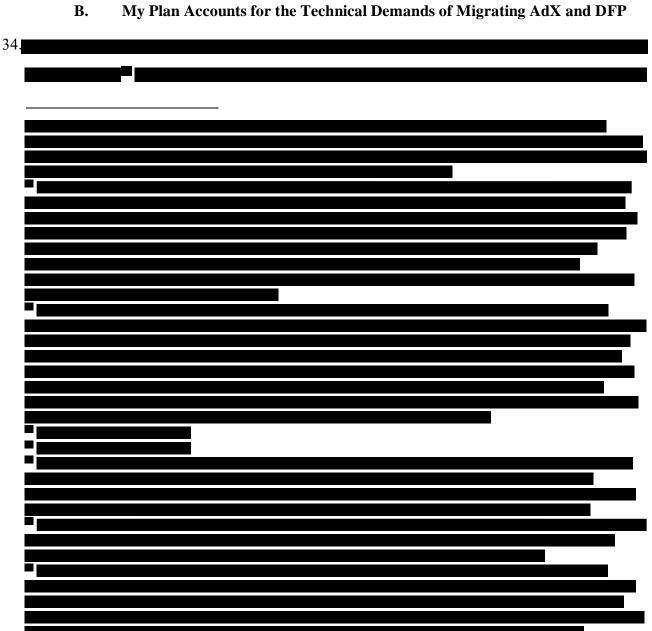
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> However, additional migration work could begin without the identification of an acquirer if, for whatever reason, the target environment for the migration (e.g., GCP) has already been determined. In this case, Google could choose replacements for its services with the best alternatives from the landing zone.

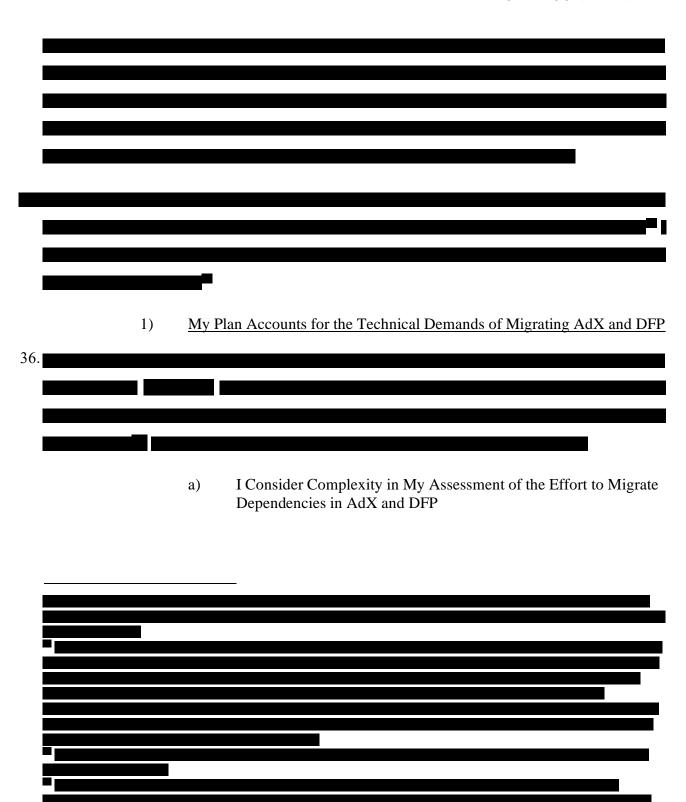


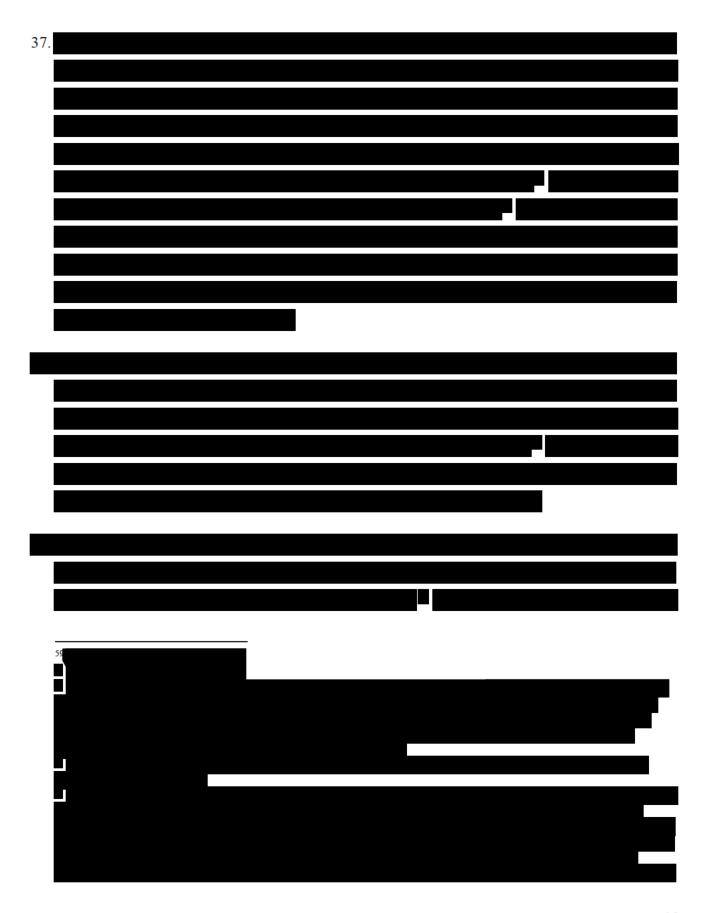


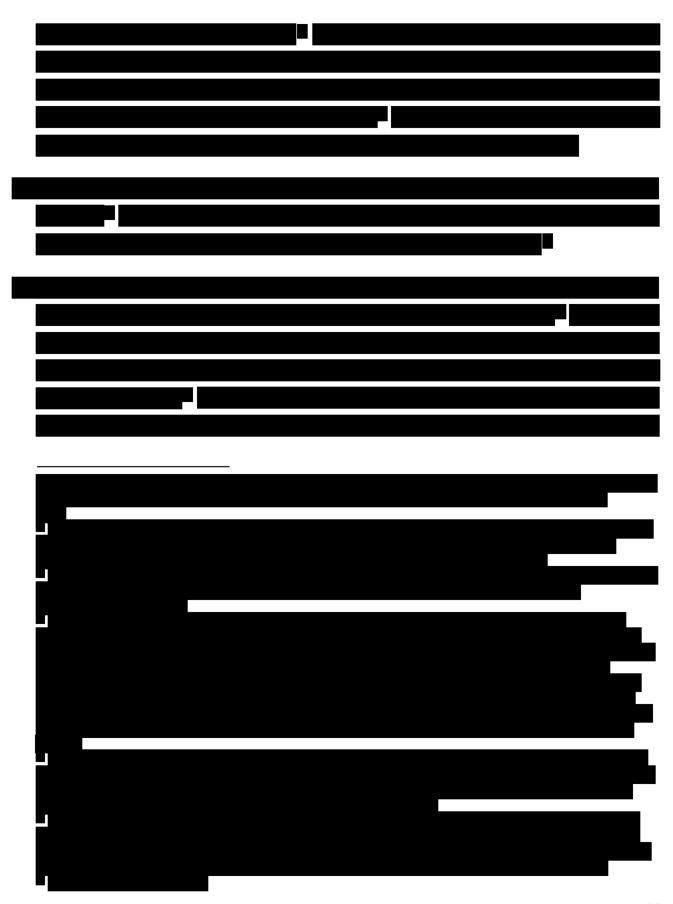


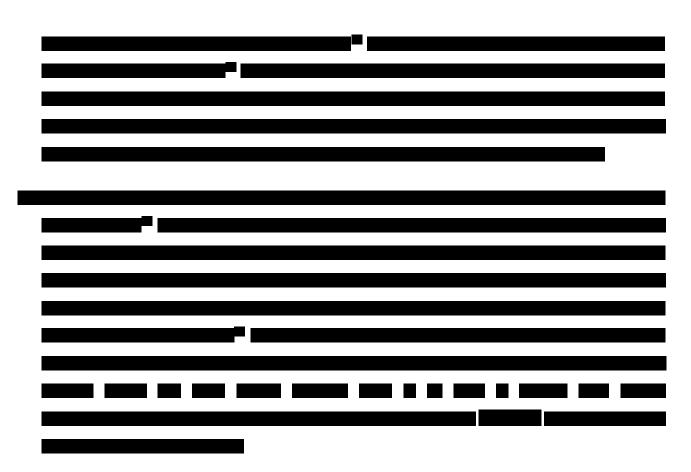




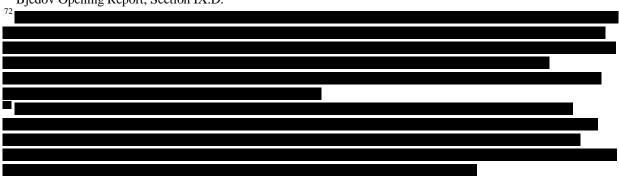


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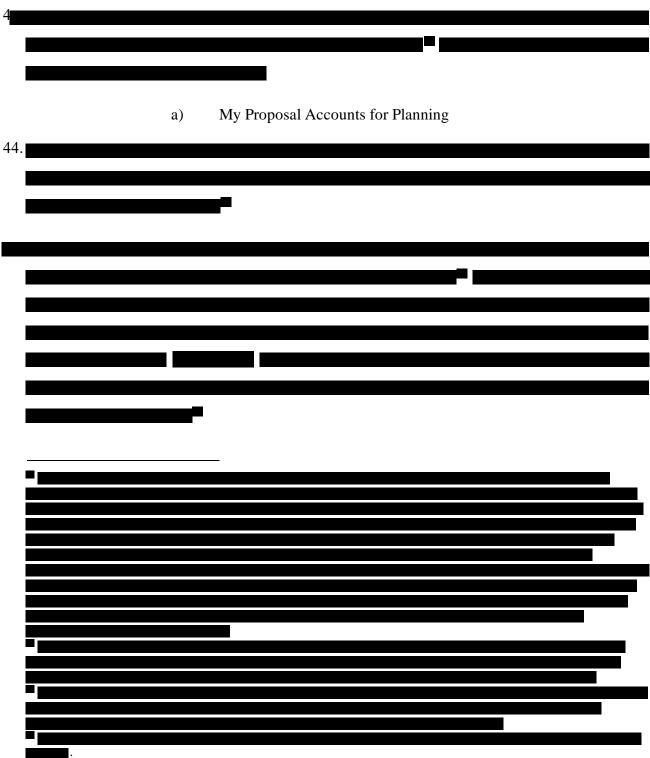




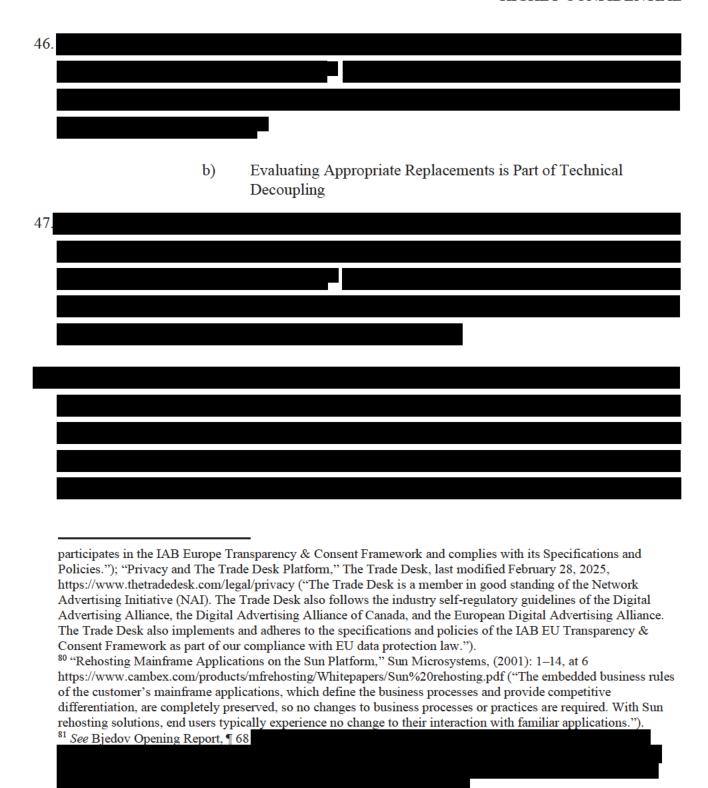
I Account for Planning, Service Evaluation, and Rewriting in the Proposed 2) **Timelines** 

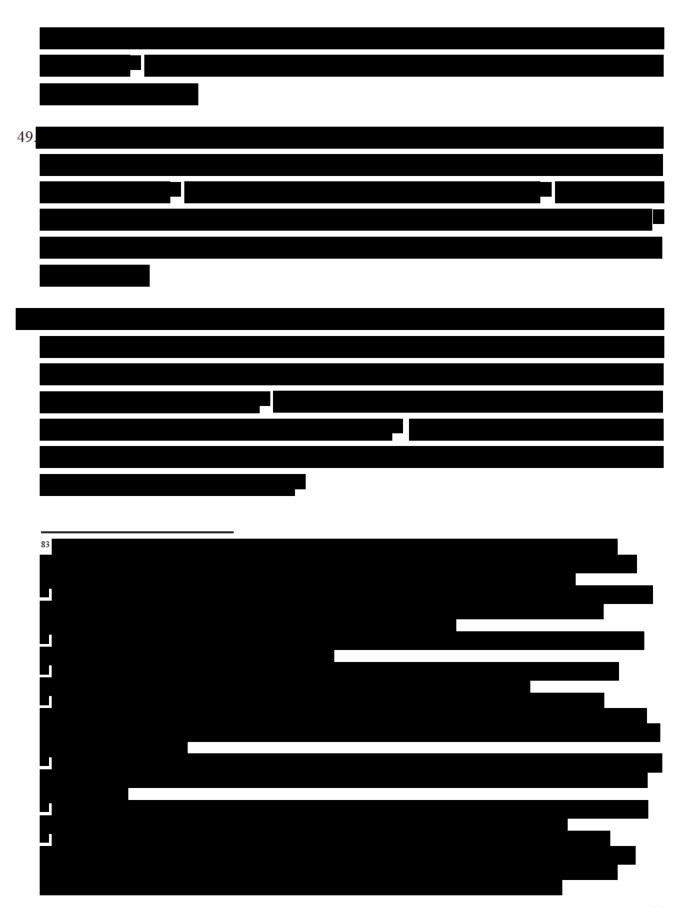


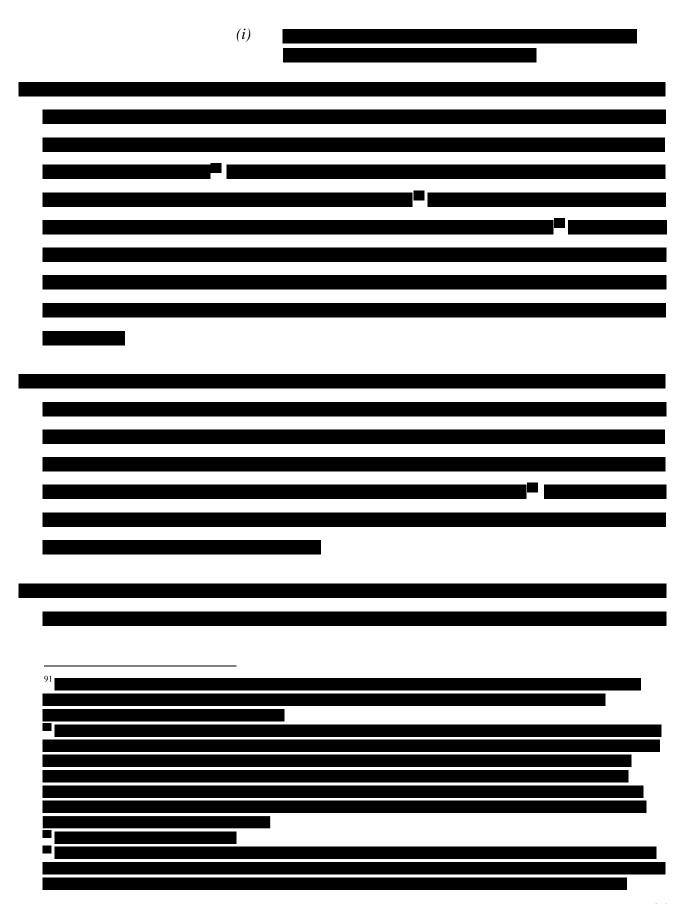
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>70</sup> Bjedov Opening Report, Section IX.C.<sup>71</sup> Bjedov Opening Report, Section IX.D.

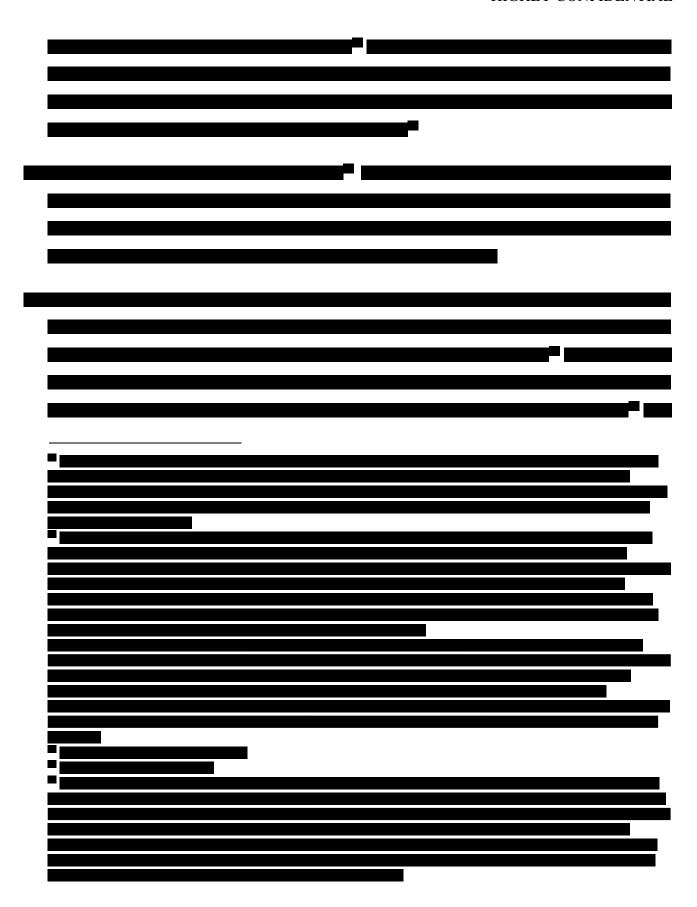


<sup>79</sup> See, e.g., "Advertising, Data Protection and Privacy," Amazon Ads, accessed August 7, 2025, https://advertising.amazon.com/resources/ad-policy/eu-data-protection-and-privacy ("[Amazon systems and processes] meet our own high standards and the requirements of all applicable data protection laws, including the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and the Privacy and Electronic Communications Directive (ePrivacy Directive). Amazon Ads services comply with the requirements of the GDPR, the ePrivacy Directive and other applicable law."); "Privacy Policy," Criteo, last modified April 4, 2025, https://www.criteo.com/privacy/ ("Criteo

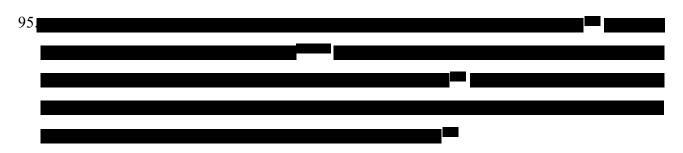








4) Shut down the old systems once traffic is fully moved over to the new system.



2) <u>Software Migrations and Software Deployments Have a Very Close</u> <u>Relationship</u>



